

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Jones, B. *et al.*

APPLICATION No.: 10/549,943

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FOR: NOVEL BACILLUS 029CEL CELLULASE

EXAMINER: Chowdhury, I.H.

ART UNIT: 1652

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Supplemental Amendment

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Sir:

The present communication follows several telephone conferences with Examiner Chowdhury regarding the above-identified application. The amended claims reflect language that has been agreed upon by the Examiner and Applicants. Because this communication is being filed at the request of the Examiner to place the application in condition for allowance, it is believed that no fees are due.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims that begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.